REMARKS

No new matter is introduced by these amendments and the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter them.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 15 1999

Barbara Rae-Venter, Ph.D.

Reg. No. 32,750

Rae-Venter Law Group, P.C. P. O. Box 60039

P. O. DOX 00039

Palo Alto, CA 94306

Telephone: (650) 328-4400 Facsimile: (650) 328-4477

BRV:amp

